

Practitioner's Docket No. 2229/134

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Eric R. Jensen, Christopher C. Langenfeld, Scott W. Newell, Michael Norris,
Jeffrey D. Renk, and Andrew Schnellinger

Application No.: 10/643,147
Filed: August 18, 2003
For: Metering Fuel Pump

Group No.: 3748
Examiner: H. Nguyen

Mail Stop Amendment
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for two months:

Fee: \$450.00

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FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE		ADDIT. FEE	
TOTAL	54	- 54	= 0	x	\$ 50.00	= \$	0.00
INDEP.	2	- 3	= 0	x	\$ 200.00	= \$	0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				+	\$ 0.00	= \$	0.00
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE						\$	0.00

No additional fee for claims is required.

FEE PAYMENT

5. Attached is a check in the sum of \$450.00.

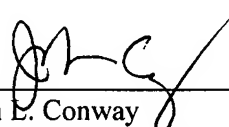
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RESPONSE A

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on November 2, 2004, Applicants respond as follows: